A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HAWAII TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1	PART I		
2	SECT	ION 1. Section 206M-3.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is	
3	amended t	o read as follows:	
4	"[+]	§206M-3.5[] Annual reports. The development	
5	corporation shall report annually to the legislature twenty days		
6	prior to	the convening of the session on the impact of the	
7	program on:		
8	(1)	Increasing the awareness of the federal small business	
9		innovation research program and the number of	
10		companies submitting proposals to federal agencies;	
11	(2)	Increasing the number of phase I awards received by	
12		Hawaii businesses under the small business innovation	
13		research program; [and]	
14	(3)	Increasing the number of phase I to phase II	
15		conversions by Hawaii businesses [-]; and	
16	(4)	Providing outreach and mentorship assistance to	
17		innovative small businesses on the neighbor islands."	

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1	SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general		
2	revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much		
3	thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 for the		
4	purpose of continuing the neighbor island innovation initiative		
5	program.		
6	The sum appropriated shall be expended by the Hawaii		
7	technology development corporation for the purposes of this Act.		
8	PART II		
9	SECTION 3. The Hawaii technology development corporation		
10	may participate in and contribute funding for activities related		
11	to the development of a Hawaii cyber ecosystem comprising a		
12	variety of participants, including private companies, nonprofit		
13	organizations, government, and individuals who work together to		
14	protect Hawaii from cyber threats, and other related aspects of		
15	cybersecurity including:		
16	(1) A comprehensive education curriculum on cybersecurity		
17	that spans the State's middle, intermediate, and high		
18	schools, and continues into higher education;		
19	(2) Workforce development, including formal classroom		
20	education and experiential learning, to address		

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1		Hawaii's unmet need for trained cybersecurity	
2		personnel;	
3	(3)	Innovative approaches to increase Hawaii's	
4		preparedness, readiness, and resilience to cyber	
5		threats; and	
6	(4)	Expansion of Hawaii's innovation economy.	
7	SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general		
8	revenues	of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much	
9	thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 to provid		
10	funds for the Hawaii technology development corporation to		
11	participate in and contribute funding for activities related to		
12	the development of a Hawaii cyber ecosystem and other related		
13	aspects of cybersecurity.		
14	The sum appropriated shall be expended by the Hawaii		
15	technolog	y development corporation for the purposes of this Act	
16		PART III	
17	SECT	CION 5. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed	
18	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.		
19	SECT	TION 6. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2112.	

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Report Title:

Hawaii Technology Development Corporation; Neighbor Island Small Business; Innovation; Cybersecurity; Appropriation

Description:

Requires HTDC to report outreach and mentorship assistance to Neighbor Island innovative small businesses. Appropriates funds for the Neighbor Island Innovation Initiative Program. Authorizes and provides funding for the Hawaii Technology Development Corporation to participate in and contribute funding for the development of a Hawaii cyber ecosystem and related aspects of cybersecurity. (HB2084 HD1)

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